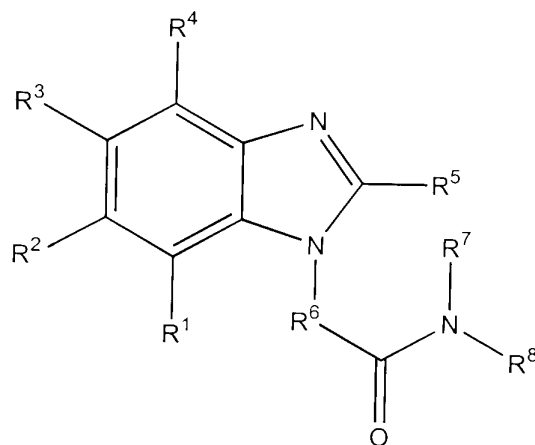


In the claims:

Please cancel claims 1 to 15 without prejudice.

Please amend the claims as follows:

16. (Amended) A single compound of the formula:



wherein:

R¹, R² and R³ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, halo, hydroxy, protected hydroxy, cyano, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyloxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl,

cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl, protected hydroxymethyl, protected amino, (monosubstituted)amino, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylamino, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylamino, carboxamide, protected carboxamide, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfoxide, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfoxide, phenylthio, substituted phenylthio, phenylsulfoxide, substituted phenylsulfoxide, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl and the group consisting of (i) the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹², (ii) the formula -C(O)R¹¹, (iii) the formula -NR¹¹R¹², (iv) the formula -SR¹¹, (v) the formula -OR¹¹ and (vi) the formula -C(O)OR¹¹, wherein R¹¹ and R¹² are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminocarbonyl;

R⁴ is selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, halo, hydroxy, protected hydroxy, cyano, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂

to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyloxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl, protected hydroxymethyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylamino, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylamino, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfoxide, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfoxide, phenylthio, substituted phenylthio, phenylsulfoxide, substituted phenylsulfoxide, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl and the group consisting of (i) the formula -C(O)R¹¹, (ii) the formula -SR¹¹, (iii) the formula -OR¹¹ and (iv) the formula -C(O)OR¹¹, wherein R¹¹ and R¹² are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀

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alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminocarbonyl;

R⁵ is selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, carboxy, protected carboxy, cyano, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxy carbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxy carbonyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl and C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl;

R⁶ is the formula:

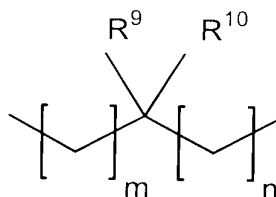
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wherein:

W is absent or selected from the group consisting of phenylene, substituted phenylene, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkylene, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkylene, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenylene, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenylene, arylene, substituted arylene,

heterocyclene, substituted heterocyclene,
heteroarylene and substituted heteroarylene;

and D, which is directly attached to the nitrogen depicted in the formula, and E, which can be absent, are independently selected from the group consisting of C₁ to C₁₂ alkylene, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenylene, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynylene, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylene, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenylene, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynylene, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkylene, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkylene, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenylene, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenylene, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkylene, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkylene, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkylene and C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkylene, -NH- and the formula:



wherein R⁹ and R¹⁰ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted

alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, a heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkoxy, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkoxy, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl and protected hydroxymethyl; and m and n are, independently, 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4; and

R⁷ and R⁸ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a functionalized resin, a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl and C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl,

C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl, substituted phenylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminothiocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminothiocarbonyl, phenylaminothiocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminothiocarbonyl;

provided that, where R⁶ is methylene, at least one of R¹ to R⁴ must be the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹²; or

provided that, where R⁶ is methylene, at least one of R¹ to R⁴ must be the formula -C(O)R¹¹, wherein R¹¹ is a heterocyclic ring or substituted heterocyclic ring, wherein said ring contains at least one nitrogen atom and wherein said nitrogen atom is attached to the carbonyl carbon; or

a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of a compound thereof.

17. (Amended) The single compound of claim 16, wherein:

R¹, R² and R³ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, halo, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, carboxy, and the group consisting of (i) the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹² and (ii) the formula -C(O)R¹¹, wherein R¹¹ and R¹² are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle and substituted heterocycle.

22. (Amended) The single compound of claim 16, wherein:

R^1 , R^2 and R^3 are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, halo, C_1 to C_{12} alkyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted alkyl, carboxy, and the group consisting of (i) the formula $-C(O)NR^{11}R^{12}$ and (ii) the formula $-C(O)R^{11}$, wherein R^{11} and R^{12} are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C_1 to C_{12} alkyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted alkyl, C_2 to C_{12} alkenyl, C_2 to C_{12} substituted alkenyl, C_7 to C_{18} phenylalkyl, C_7 to C_{18} substituted phenylalkyl, C_1 to C_{12} heterocycloalkyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle and substituted heterocycle;

R^5 is selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C_1 to C_{12} alkyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted alkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, C_7 to C_{18} phenylalkyl, C_7 to C_{18} substituted phenylalkyl, C_1 to C_{12} heterocycloalkyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted heterocycloalkyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, C_3 to C_7 cycloalkyl and C_3 to C_7 substituted cycloalkyl;

R^6 is the formula:

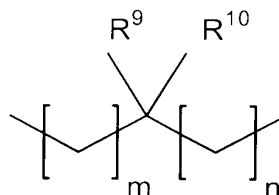
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wherein:

W is absent or selected from the group consisting of phenylene, substituted phenylene, C_3 to C_7

cycloalkylene and C₃ to C₇ substituted
cycloalkylene; and

D, which is directly attached to the nitrogen
depicted in the formula, and E, which can be
absent, are, independently, selected from the
group consisting of C₁ to C₁₂ alkylene, C₁ to C₁₂
substituted alkylene, -NH- and the formula:



wherein:

R⁹ and R¹⁰ are, independently, selected from
the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁
to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₃
to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted
cycloalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈
substituted phenylalkyl, phenyl, substituted
phenyl; and m and n are independently 0, 1
or 2; and

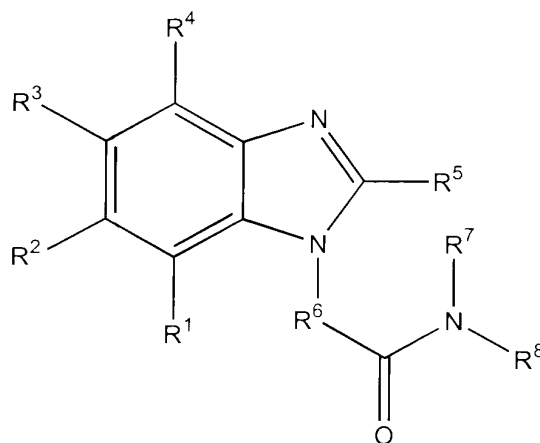
R⁷ and R⁸ are each a hydrogen atom.

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Please add the following new claims:

35. (New) The single compound of claim 16, wherein R⁴ is selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, halo, hydroxy, protected hydroxy, cyano, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyloxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene.

36. (New) A single compound of the formula:



wherein:

R¹, R² and R⁴ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, halo, hydroxy, protected hydroxy, cyano, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyloxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl, protected hydroxymethyl, protected amino, (monosubstituted)amino, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylamino, C₁ to C₁₀

substituted alkylamino, carboxamide, protected carboxamide, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfoxide, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfoxide, phenylthio, substituted phenylthio, phenylsulfoxide, substituted phenylsulfoxide, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl and the group consisting of (i) the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹², (ii) the formula -C(O)R¹¹, (iii) the formula -NR¹¹R¹², (iv) the formula -SR¹¹, (v) the formula -OR¹¹ and (vi) the formula -C(O)OR¹¹, wherein R¹¹ and R¹² are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminocarbonyl;

R³ is selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, protected hydroxy, cyano, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyloxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic

ring, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl, protected hydroxymethyl, protected amino, (monosubstituted)amino, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylamino, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylamino, carboxamide, protected carboxamide, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfoxide, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfoxide, phenylthio, substituted phenylthio, phenylsulfoxide, substituted phenylsulfoxide, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl and the group consisting of (i) the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹², (ii) the formula -C(O)R¹¹, (iii) the formula -NR¹¹R¹², (iv) the formula -SR¹¹, (v) the formula -OR¹¹ and (vi) the formula -C(O)OR¹¹, wherein R¹¹ and R¹² are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted

alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminocarbonyl;

R⁵ is selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, carboxy, protected carboxy, cyano, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxy carbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxy carbonyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl and C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl;

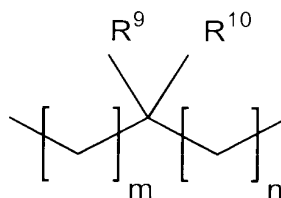
R⁶ is the formula:

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wherein:

W is absent or selected from the group consisting of phenylene, substituted phenylene, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkylene, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkylene, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenylene, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenylene, arylene, substituted arylene, heterocyclene, substituted heterocyclene, heteroarylene and substituted heteroarylene;

and D, which is directly attached to the nitrogen depicted in the formula, and E, which can be absent, are independently selected from the group consisting of C₁ to C₁₂ alkylene, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenylene, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynylene, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylene, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenylene, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynylene, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkylene, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkylene, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenylene, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenylene, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkylene, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkylene, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkylene and C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkylene, -NH- and the formula:



wherein R⁹ and R¹⁰ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to

C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, a heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkoxy, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkoxy, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl and protected hydroxymethyl; and m and n are, independently, 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4; and

R⁷ and R⁸ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a functionalized resin, a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl and C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl, substituted phenylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminothiocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted

alkylaminothiocarbonyl, phenylaminothiocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminothiocarbonyl;

provided that, where R^6 is methylene, at least one of R^1 to R^4 must be the formula $-C(O)NR^{11}R^{12}$; or

provided that, where R^6 is methylene, at least one of R^1 to R^4 must be the formula $-C(O)R^{11}$, wherein R^{11} is a heterocyclic ring or substituted heterocyclic ring, wherein said ring contains at least one nitrogen atom and wherein said nitrogen atom is attached to the carbonyl carbon; or

a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of a compound thereof.

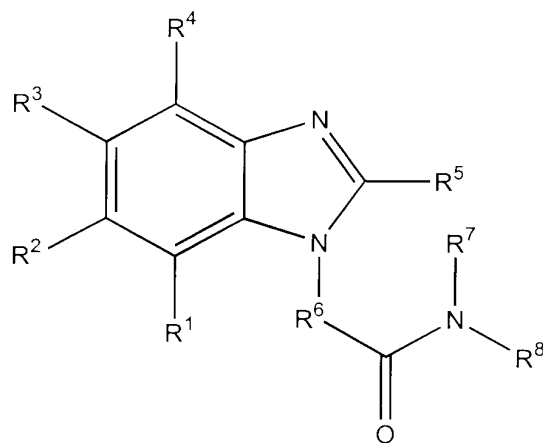
37. (New) The single compound of claim 36, wherein R^3 is selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, protected hydroxy, cyano, C_2 to C_{12} alkenyl, C_2 to C_{12} alkynyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted alkyl, C_2 to C_{12} substituted alkenyl, C_2 to C_{12} substituted alkynyl, C_1 to C_{12} alkoxy, C_1 to C_{12} substituted alkoxy, C_1 to C_{12} acyloxy, C_1 to C_{12} acyl, C_3 to C_7 cycloalkyl, C_3 to C_7 substituted cycloalkyl, C_5 to C_7 cycloalkenyl, C_5 to C_7 substituted cycloalkenyl, heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, C_7 to C_{18} phenylalkyl, C_7 to C_{18} substituted phenylalkyl, C_1 to C_{12} heterocycloalkyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted heterocycloalkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C_2 to C_7 alkylene, substituted cyclic C_2 to C_7 alkylene, cyclic C_2 to C_7 heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C_2 to C_7 heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl, protected hydroxymethyl, protected amino, (monosubstituted)amino, protected (monosubstituted)amino,

(disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylamino, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylamino, carboxamide, protected carboxamide, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfoxide, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfoxide, phenylthio, substituted phenylthio, phenylsulfoxide, substituted phenylsulfoxide, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl and the group consisting of (i) the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹², (ii) the formula -C(O)R¹¹, (iii) the formula -NR¹¹R¹², (iv) the formula -SR¹¹, (v) the formula -OR¹¹ and (vi) the formula -C(O)OR¹¹, wherein R¹¹ and R¹² are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminocarbonyl.

38. (New) The single compound of claim 36, wherein R³ is selected from (i) the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹² and (ii) the formula -C(O)R¹¹, wherein R¹¹ and R¹² are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to

C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminocarbonyl.

39. (New) A single compound of the formula:



wherein:

R^1 , R^2 , R^3 and R^4 are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, halo, hydroxy, protected hydroxy, cyano, C_1 to C_{12} alkyl, C_2 to C_{12} alkenyl, C_2 to C_{12} alkynyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted alkyl, C_2 to C_{12} substituted alkenyl, C_2 to C_{12} substituted alkynyl, C_1 to C_{12} alkoxy, C_1 to C_{12} substituted alkoxy, C_1 to C_{12} acyloxy, C_1 to C_{12} acyl, C_3 to C_7 cycloalkyl, C_3 to C_7 substituted cycloalkyl, C_5 to C_7 cycloalkenyl, C_5 to C_7 substituted cycloalkenyl, heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, C_7 to C_{18} phenylalkyl, C_7 to C_{18} substituted phenylalkyl, C_1 to C_{12} heterocycloalkyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted heterocycloalkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C_2 to C_7 alkylene, substituted cyclic C_2 to C_7 alkylene, cyclic C_2 to C_7 heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C_2 to C_7 heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl, protected hydroxymethyl, protected amino, (monosubstituted)amino, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C_1 to C_{10} alkylamino, C_1 to C_{10} substituted alkylamino, carboxamide, protected carboxamide, C_1 to C_{10} alkylthio, C_1 to C_{10} substituted alkylthio, C_1 to C_{10} alkylsulfonyl, C_1 to C_{10} substituted alkylsulfonyl, C_1 to C_{10} alkylsulfoxide, C_1 to C_{10} substituted alkylsulfoxide, phenylthio, substituted phenylthio, phenylsulfoxide, substituted phenylsulfoxide, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl and the group consisting of (i) the formula $-C(O)NR^{11}R^{12}$, (ii) the formula $-C(O)R^{11}$, (iii) the formula $-NR^{11}R^{12}$, (iv) the formula $-SR^{11}$, (v) the formula $-OR^{11}$ and (vi) the formula $-C(O)OR^{11}$, wherein R^{11} and R^{12} are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C_1 to C_{12} alkyl, C_1 to C_{12} substituted alkyl, C_2 to C_{12} alkenyl, C_2 to C_{12} substituted alkenyl, phenyl,

substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminocarbonyl;

R⁵ is selected from the group consisting of phenyl, substituted phenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, carboxy, protected carboxy, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxycarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxycarbonyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl and C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl;

R⁶ is the formula:

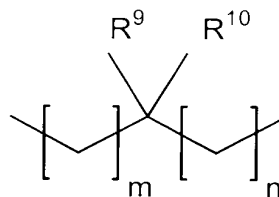
-D-W-E-

wherein:

W is absent or selected from the group consisting of phenylene, substituted phenylene, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkylene, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkylene, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenylene, C₅ to C₇ substituted

cycloalkenylene, arylene, substituted arylene,
heterocyclene, substituted heterocyclene,
heteroarylene and substituted heteroarylene;

and D, which is directly attached to the nitrogen depicted in the formula, and E, which can be absent, are independently selected from the group consisting of C₁ to C₁₂ alkylene, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenylene, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynylene, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylene, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenylene, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynylene, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkylene, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkylene, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenylene, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenylene, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkylene, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkylene, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkylene and C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkylene, -NH- and the formula:



wherein R⁹ and R¹⁰ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl,

C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, a heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkoxy, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkoxy, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl and protected hydroxymethyl; and m and n are, independently, 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4; and

R⁷ and R⁸ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a functionalized resin, a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl and C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to

C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl, substituted phenylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminothiocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminothiocarbonyl, phenylaminothiocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminothiocarbonyl;

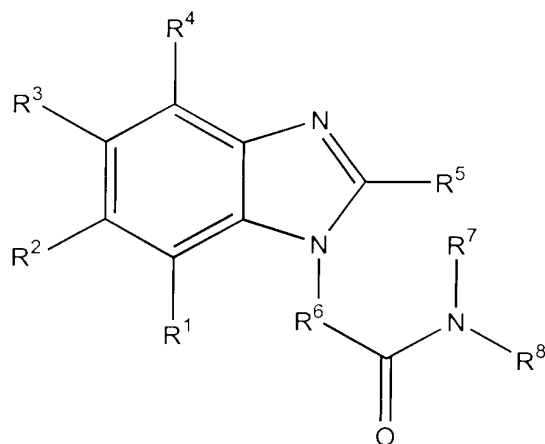
provided that, where R⁶ is methylene, at least one of R¹ to R⁴ must be the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹²; or

provided that, where R⁶ is methylene, at least one of R¹ to R⁴ must be the formula -C(O)R¹¹, wherein R¹¹ is a heterocyclic ring or substituted heterocyclic ring, wherein said ring contains at least one nitrogen atom and wherein said nitrogen atom is attached to the carbonyl carbon; or

a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of a compound thereof.

40. (New) The single compound of claim 39, wherein R⁵ is selected from the group consisting of phenyl, substituted phenyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl and C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl.

41. (New) A single compound of the formula:



wherein:

R¹, R², R³ and R⁴ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, halo, hydroxy, protected hydroxy, cyano, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyloxy, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl, protected hydroxymethyl, protected amino, (monosubstituted)amino, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylamino, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylamino, carboxamide, protected carboxamide, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylthio, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylthio, C₁ to

C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfoxide, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfoxide, phenylthio, substituted phenylthio, phenylsulfoxide, substituted phenylsulfoxide, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl and the group consisting of (i) the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹², (ii) the formula -C(O)R¹¹, (iii) the formula -NR¹¹R¹², (iv) the formula -SR¹¹, (v) the formula -OR¹¹ and (vi) the formula -C(O)OR¹¹, wherein R¹¹ and R¹² are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminocarbonyl;

R⁵ is selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, carboxy, protected carboxy, cyano, protected (monosubstituted)amino, (disubstituted)amino, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkoxycarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkoxycarbonyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇

substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl and C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl;

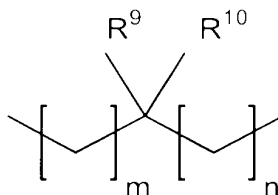
R⁶ is the formula:

-D-W-E-

wherein:

W is selected from the group consisting of phenylene, substituted phenylene, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkylene, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkylene, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenylene, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenylene, arylene, substituted arylene, heterocyclene, substituted heterocyclene, heteroarylene and substituted heteroarylene;

and D, which is directly attached to the nitrogen depicted in the formula, and E, which can be absent, are independently selected from the group consisting of C₁ to C₁₂ alkylene, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenylene, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynylene, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylene, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenylene, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynylene, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkylene, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkylene, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenylene, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenylene, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkylene, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkylene, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkylene and C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkylene, -NH- and the formula:



wherein R⁹ and R¹⁰ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkynyl, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, a heterocyclic ring, substituted heterocyclic ring, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkoxy, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkoxy, phenyl, substituted phenyl, naphthyl, substituted naphthyl, cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ alkylene, cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, substituted cyclic C₂ to C₇ heteroalkylene, carboxy, protected carboxy, hydroxymethyl and

protected hydroxymethyl; and m and n are,
independently, 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4; and

R⁷ and R⁸ are, independently, selected from the group consisting of a functionalized resin, a hydrogen atom, C₁ to C₁₂ alkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkyl, phenyl, substituted phenyl, heterocycle, substituted heterocycle, C₃ to C₇ cycloalkyl, C₃ to C₇ substituted cycloalkyl, C₅ to C₇ cycloalkenyl, C₅ to C₇ substituted cycloalkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ alkenyl, C₂ to C₁₂ substituted alkenyl, C₇ to C₁₈ phenylalkyl, C₇ to C₁₈ substituted phenylalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ heterocycloalkyl and C₁ to C₁₂ substituted heterocycloalkyl, C₁ to C₁₂ acyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted acyl, phenylsulfonyl, substituted phenylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₀ substituted alkylsulfonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminocarbonyl, phenylaminocarbonyl, substituted phenylaminocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ alkylaminothiocarbonyl, C₁ to C₁₂ substituted alkylaminothiocarbonyl, phenylaminothiocarbonyl and substituted phenylaminothiocarbonyl;

provided that, where R⁶ is methylene, at least one of R¹ to R⁴ must be the formula -C(O)NR¹¹R¹²; or

provided that, where R⁶ is methylene, at least one of R¹ to R⁴ must be the formula -C(O)R¹¹, wherein R¹¹ is a heterocyclic ring or substituted heterocyclic ring, wherein said ring contains at least one nitrogen atom and wherein said nitrogen atom is attached to the carbonyl carbon; or

a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of a compound thereof.